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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.321(b), Petitioner, Neose Technologies, Inc., residing at Horsham, Pennsylvania, represents that it is assignee of the whole and entire right, title and interest in and to the above-identified application, which is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application No. 08/911,393, filed August 14, 1997, now U.S. Patent No. 6,323,008 ("the prior patent"). The prior patent was assigned to Petitioner by an Assignment recorded on October 1, 1997, at Reel 8721, Frame 0070. Based on a review of evidentiary documents relating to the chain of title from the original owner to Petitioner, the undersigned hereby certifies that to the best of her knowledge and belief, both the present application and the prior patent are commonly owned by Petitioner.

Petitioner hereby disclaims, except as provided below, the terminal part of the statutory term of any patent granted on the present application which would extend beyond the expiration date of the full statutory term defined in 35 U.S.C. § 154 to § 156 of the prior patent. Petitioner hereby agrees that any patent so granted on the present application shall be enforceable only for and during such period that it and the prior patent are commonly owned. This agreement runs with any patent granted on the present application and is binding upon the grantee, its successors or assigns.

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